



RCE/3721 #

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL <i>Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing.</i> <i>Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.</i> <i>See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)</i>	<i>Application No.</i>	10/050,900
	<i>Filing Date</i>	January 16, 2002
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Donald P. McGee
	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	3721
	<i>Examiner Name</i>	John Sipos
	<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	048645-9008-01

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114, of the above-identified application.

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	TOTAL CLAIMS	27	MINUS	23	4	X \$9	36.00
	INDEP. CLAIMS	5	MINUS	3	2	X \$43	86.00
	TOTAL FILING FEE ----□					\$507.00	

Applicant claims small entity status

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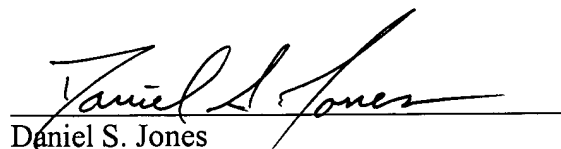
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